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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: _____)

Heinz PAULY et al. _____)

Application No.: 09/937,707 _____)

Filed: October 1, 2001 _____)

For: METHOD FOR DATA _____)
MAINTENANCE IN A NETWORK OF _____)
PARTIALLY REPLICATED _____)
DATABASE SYSTEMS _____)

Group Art Unit: 2162

Examiner: Jean M. Corrielus

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Final Office Action of May 28, 2004. Please charge the fee of \$980.00 to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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